

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(MBHB Case No. 08-508-WO-US)**

## PATENT

In application of: )  
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Serial No.: 10/565,356 ) Examiner: E.S. Luk  
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For: Apparatus and Method for Manufacturing )  
Microneedles ) Conf. No. 5581

## DECLARATION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27, Applicant claims small entity status.

Respectfully submitted,

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